

2020 –2021 学年第一学期期末质量检测
九年级 英语试题

(时间 120 分钟 满分 150 分) 2021.01

温馨提示：请同学们规范答题，工整书写，文明用语。不要因小失大哦！

一、听力测试（共 25 题；1~20 小题，每小题 1 分；21~25 小题，每小题 2 分；总计 30 分；每
小题约有 8 秒钟的答题时间）

（一）录音中有五个句子，每个句子听两遍，然后从每小题 A、B、C 中选出能对每个句
子做出适当反应的答语。（5 分）

1. A. Let me have a look.

2. A. Yes, of course.

3. A. Nice idea!

4. A. Not bad.

5. A. Nice work.
- B. It was great fun.

B. Have a good time!

B. You bet.

B. Promise!

B. No way.
- C. On Sunday.

C. It doesn't matter.

C. Be careful!

C. How nice!

C. That's no excuse.

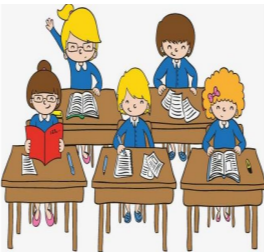
（二）录音中有三个句子，每个句子对应一幅图片，每个句子听两遍，然后选择与句子内
容相对应的图片。（3 分）



A



B



C

（三）录音中有五组对话，听对话两遍后，从每小题 A、B、C 中选出能回答所给问题的
正确答案。（5 分）

9. Where does the conversation happen?

10. How many students are there in the girl's school?

11. What does the boy see in the photo?

12. What's the matter with the woman's camera?

13. What isn't the girl allowed to do on weekdays?
- A. At the bus station.

A. About 700.

A. A flag.

A. It has no power.

A. At the bus station.
- B. At the train station.

B. Over 800.

B. Ayers Rock.

B. It's got an empty memory.

B. At the train station.
- C. At the airport.

C. About 600.

C. Desert.

C. It may have a full memory.

C. At the airport.

- A. To play basketball.

B. To talk about basketball.

C. To watch TV.

（四）录音中有一段长对话，听对话两遍后，从每小题 A、B、C 中选出能回答所给问题的
正确答案。（4 分）

14. What does the girl advise the boy to do first?

15. Why is it better to use china cups?

16. How many ways are mentioned in the conversation?

17. What are they talking about?
- A. To turn off the lights when leaving the room.

A. Because they're stronger.

A. Two.

A. How to go to school.
- B. To walk to school.

B. Because they're more beautiful.

B. Three.

B. How to save the environment.
- C. Not to use plastic bags.

C. Because they can be used many times.

C. Four.

C. How to go shopping.

（五）录音中有三小段独白，听独白两遍后，根据独白内容，将信息配对。（3 分）

18. Joe

19. Susie

20. Paul
- A. only turn on the lights when necessary

B. play football with friends on the school playground

C. visit the Palace Museum during the coming winter vacation

（六）听力填表（共 5 小题，10 分）（录音播放前，你有 20 秒钟的读题时间）

录音中有一篇短文，是某校广播站关于摄影比赛结果的报道。听短文两遍后，请你根据表
格内容提示，记录相关信息，完成表格(每空一词)。

Report about the photo competition	
The time when the competition was held	Later in (21) _____.
Number	More photos than other years.
	About (22) _____.
Kinds of photos	Black-and-white and color photos, presenting our school life, the beauty of nature, festival activities and so on.
The place where the photos were on show	In the reading room on the (23) _____ floor.
Prizes	The first prize is a (24) _____.
One of the winners	Li Wei who took a group of photos of (25) _____ in different seasons.

二、阅读理解（共 20 小题，每小题 2.5 分，共 50 分）

阅读下列短文，然后从每小题 A、B、C、D 中选出能回答所提问题或完成所给句子的最佳答案。

A

Hemingway was one of the famous writers. He was born in America in 1899. His father was a doctor and loved sports very much, and his mother taught music. Among the six children in the family, Hemingway was the second oldest.

Hemingway had written many books in his life. *The old man and the sea* is one of the most famous and also my favorite. It came out in 1952.





The main character in the book is a fisherman. He is an old man and fishes alone. People think he is a man with bad luck, because he doesn't get a fish in eighty-four days. Every evening, he comes home with his empty boat. But the old man believes himself. Then on the eighty-fifth day the man gets a big fish. Although he meets a lot of trouble, the old man never gives up.



26. Hemingway's mother was a(an) _____.
A. teacher B. actress C. doctor D. writer
27. Hemingway had _____ brothers and sisters.
A. 2 B. 4 C. 5 D. 6
28. *The old Man and the Sea* has been published for _____ years.
A 48 B. 69 C. 1952 D. 1899
29. According to the book *The old Man and the Sea*, please order the following sentences.
①The old man doesn't get a fish in 84 days.
②The old man fishes alone every day.
③The old man gets a big fish on the 85th day.
④The old man has a lot of trouble at sea.
A. ①②③④ B.②③①④
C. ②①④③ D.④①②③
30. What can we learn from the book *The old Man and the Sea*?
A. When we are in trouble, we should never give up.
B. Every fisherman will get a big fish after 84 days.
C. Fishing is fun.
D. We can live a better life if we like fishing.

B

I go to school the youth to learn the future. -- Robert Frost

	Harvard University Type (类型): private Location: Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA
Harvard University's history, influence and wealth have made it one of the most famous universities in the world.	
	University of Oxford Type: public Location: Oxford, Britain
The University of Oxford is the second oldest university in the world and the oldest in the English-speaking world.	
	University of Cambridge Type: public Location: Cambridge, Britain
The University of Cambridge is the second oldest university in the English-speaking world and the sixth oldest in Europe.	
	Tsinghua University Type: public Location: Haidian District, Beijing, China
Tsinghua University was originally (起初) under the name "Tsinghua Xuetang". The school was renamed "Tsinghua School" in 1912. The university section (部分) was founded in 1925.	

31. Harvard University is located in _____.
A. Cambridge, USA B. Manchester, UK
C. Cambridge, UK D. Minnesota, USA
32. University of Oxford is the oldest university in _____.
A. the world B. Britain
C. the English-speaking world D. western countries
33. University of Cambridge is _____.
A. famous for its history, influence and wealth
B. located in the same city as Harvard University

- C. the sixth oldest in the world
D. older than Tsinghua University

34. The university section of Tsinghua School was founded in _____.

- A. 1211 B. 1911 C. 1912 D. 1925

35. Which university of the four is not public?

- A. Harvard University. B. University of Oxford.
C. University of Cambridge. D. Tsinghua University.

C

I'm a horse lover. I first read *Black Beauty* when I was eight and I have read it many times.

The story is told in the first person by a horse named Black Beauty.

The first part of the book deals with Beauty's birth and the happy time he spends with his mother.

The mother always advises Beauty to behave well in order that others can treat it well. Later, Beauty is sold to Mr Gordon. He is a horse lover and cares very well for his animals. Beauty spends the better part of three years here and makes friends with other horses.

The happy life ends with the beginning of the second part. Beauty is sold to Earlshall Park. The life is harder there and the painful rein (缰绳) is used on horses. A riding accident causes Beauty's knees to be hurt and he's sold as a job horse to a new 38 master, but soon he is sold again. The master makes Beauty work too much but never treats him well.

At last he is sold to the Bloomfield family. There Beauty lives out his last days in peace and with happiness.

Black Beauty is an 1877 novel by English writer Anna Sewell. She loved horses and understood them well. The language is simple, but the book isn't boring. It tells us that animals also have feelings and should be treated well.

36. Beauty's mother wants him _____.

- A. to become brave B. to be treated well
C. to be sold quickly D. to be sold to a good family

37. Beauty has a bad time when he lives _____.

- A. with his mother B. with Mr Gordon
C. at Earlshall Park D. with the Blomefield family

38. The underlined word "master" means _____ in Chinese.

- A. 主人 B. 船长 C. 教师 D. 硕士

39. What do we know about the book *Black Beauty*?

- A. It's difficult to understand. B. It's not very popular with young people.
C. It was written by a writer from the USA. D. It calls on us to be friendly to animals.

40. What's the best title for the passage?

- A. *Black Beauty's* life B. Black Beauty and his mother
C. A book review of *Black Beauty* D. Sewell's purpose in writing *Black Beauty*

D

Could the students from less developed areas in central and western China get the same educational chances as those in big cities in the east? Could the children in poor rural (农村) area develop as well as those in rich cities? Maybe the answers were "No" in the past. But now, China is trying to change the situation.

In order to help rural students grow taller and stronger, China's Nutrition (营养) Improvement Program started in 2011. According to the program, a lot more money was spent improving students' meals. More than 36 million students from 41 134,000 primary and junior high schools (初中) in poor rural areas have benefited (获益) from the program. They are provided with healthy food like eggs and milk from Monday to Friday at school. And the result of a survey shows that the students in those areas are much taller and stronger than before.

It is true that there were differences between less developed areas and developed areas in education before. But according to a survey, thanks to the Guideline for Popularizing High School (高中) Education (2017-2020), above 90% students from all over the country had gone to high schools by 2020. What's more, the schools in central and western areas will get more support to improve their education.

Students from rural and poor areas also get more chances to receive higher education. A special college program makes 43 it possible for more students from those areas to go to key colleges and universities. The number was increased by 10% in 2017.

With the guideline and the programs, we can expect a fairer and more balanced (均衡的) education in the future.

41. The underlined number "134,000" is the number of _____ in poor rural areas.

- A. poor students B. primary and junior high schools
C. key high schools D. key colleges and universities

42. According to a survey, above 90% students _____ had gone to high schools by 2020.

- A. in poor rural

B. in rich cities
- C. all over the country

D. in western areas

43. The underlined word “it” refers to “_____”.

A. the country to improve rural students’ meals

B. students in developed areas to go to high school

C. chances to receive higher education

D. more students from rural and poor areas to go to key colleges and universities

44. After reading the passage, we can infer (推断) that_____.

A. Li Mei, a student from a western rural school, can get a kilo of meat

B. Liu Xi, a student from shanghai, can go to any high school if she wants to

C. Han Lei, a 12-year-old rural student, will more easily receive higher education

D. Hu Jiai, a student from Beijing, will have few chances to go to key universities

45. If we put the passage into three parts, which of the following is the best?
(注解：Para 意思是“自然段” Para.1: ① Para.2: ② Para.3: ③ Para. 4:④ Para.5: ⑤)

A. ① / ② ③ ④ / ⑤

B.① ② / ③ ④ / ⑤

C. ① / ② ③ / ④ ⑤

D. ① ② / ③ / ④⑤

三、短文还原（共 5 空，每空 2 分，计 10 分）

阅读短文，从短文下面方框内的六个句子中选择五个还原到短文中，使短文通顺完整、衔接自然。

Today, roller skating (滑旱冰) is easy and fun. (46)_____ Before 1750, people never tried skating on wheels. That changed because of a man named Hoseph Merlin.

Merlin’s work was making instruments. In his free time he liked to play the violin. Merlin was a man with many ideas and many dreams. (47) _____.

One day Merlin received an invitation to go to an important party. He was very pleased and a little excited. As the day of the party came near, Merlin began to think. He wanted to find a way to make a wonderful entrance at the party. (48) _____ He thought that he would attract a lot of attention if he could skate into the room.

Merlin tried different ways to make the roll. Finally, he decided to put two wheels under each shoe. (49) _____ Merlin was very proud of them. He dreamed of arriving at the party and skating into the room while playing the violin. He was sure that everyone would be very surprised.

On the night of the party Merlin rolled into the room, playing his violin. Everyone was really

surprised to see him. There was just one problem. (50) _____ He rolled on, playing the violin. Then, with all eyes on him, Merlin hit into a huge mirror on the wall. The mirror broke into many pieces with a very loud noise. But nobody forgot Merlin’s wonderful entrance for a long time.

- A. Merlin had an idea.

B. People called him a dreamer.

C. Merlin had no way to stop his roller skating.

D. But many years ago, it wasn’t easy at all.

E. People enjoyed skating in the 17th century.

F. These were the first roller skate shoes.

四、综合填空(共 20 空，每空 1.5 分，计 30 分)

A

阅读短文，根据短文内容，从方框内所给 11 个词中选择 10 个意义相符的词，必要时进行词形变化，填入空白处，每空一词。

for, own, restaurant, popular, because, back, idea, cook ,who, thin, after

Some inventions happen in strange ways. The potato chip is one of them.

Moons Lake House was a restaurant in New York in the 1850s. George Crum was the (51) _____ there. Many rich people often came to the (52) _____ to enjoy his cooking. The one thing that really made Crum upset (沮丧的) was when a customer complained about the food and sent it (53) _____ to the kitchen to be done over. He would often return it overcooked. He didn’t want to see the customer walk out of the restaurant angrily. But it also made him to come out of new (54) _____ .

On August 24,1853, a customer returned his fried potatoes to the kitchen, (55) _____ they weren’t crunchy(脆的) enough. Crum reacted (重做) in his usual way — cut the potatoes thick. Soon, he thought of a new idea. He cut the potatoes (56) _____ than before and cooked them in hot oil. Crum was sure that they were so crunchy that the man would refuse to eat them. Instead, the man loved them. He even asked (57) _____ more.

Now, do you know (58) _____ invented the potato chip? It's George Crum! He later set up his (59) _____ restaurant. He named it Crum's House. He put baskets of his potato chips on all the tables. They made his restaurant a very (60)_____ place. Today, potato chips are still one of Americans’ favorite foods!

B

阅读短文，根据短文内容，从方框内所给 11 个动词中选择 10 个意义相符的词，必要时进行词形变化（可添加情态动词或助动词），填入空白处。

add, support, have, make, be, use, become, be, not need, laugh, send

If we talk about instant message tool（即时通信工具）, which（61）_____ the first one to jump into your mind? If your answer is QQ or MSN, I have to say you're a bit old-fashioned.

QQ and MSN（62）_____ popular several years ago. But WeChat is a very useful tool and many people use it now. It（63）_____ 700 million users all over the world up to now. It is a necessary communication tool for the young people in China. Actually（实际上）, it is also a product from Tencent, so we can call it QQ's little brother.

You can log in(登陆) WeChat with your Facebook account(账户) or sign up with(用...注册) your phone number. And then（64）_____ your friends' numbers in your contact list. Then you can chat with your family or friends. This is a brand new(全新的) way. No matter when and where you are, you can chat with each other. It's just like（65）_____ a walkie-talkie(对讲机). But you（66）_____ to worry about other things, such as basic fees. It won't cost you extra（额外的） money（67）_____ communication.

We Chat is powerful. It（68）_____ sending voice, video, photo and text messages. You can also do group talks, or you can find new friends nearby to talk to. Even you（69）_____ messages to Tencent QQ friends directly.

Today, We Chat（70）_____ the most popular text and voice message tool all over the world. Many foreigners are using Wechat, too.

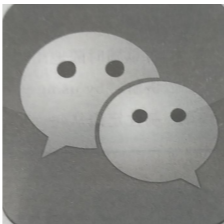
五、阅读表达 (共 5 小题，每小题 2 分，计 10 分)

阅读短文，根据题目要求完成各小题。

Traveling can be expensive. And when you plan to go travelling, someone around you may say, “It doesn't matter if your family is short of money, but you should prepare more money to avoid difficulties when going out.”

But do you know there are some ways to save money when traveling? Try some of the advice below on your next vacation and your wallet will thank you.

- ◆ Look for city tourism cards.



With the cards, you can pay less at restaurants and shops. And you don't have to wait for a long time at busy attractions. You might even get free tickets to top tourist attractions. City tourism cards can save your money and time.

- ◆ Don't get the best room.

How long will you stay in your room? Will you just be sleeping there? Do you really need a bigger room with a good view? Find a hotel outside a city. It can help you save some money, for you always have to do the same—go to the attractions and then return to your hotel to sleep.

- ◆ Book a room with a kitchen.

Although some people might not like to cook while on vacation, I don't mind making breakfast in my room. We always eat at a nice restaurant on our last night of the vacation. I'd rather eat breakfast and lunch at the hotel and then spend much money on a delicious supper.

- 71. Translate the underlined sentence into Chinese.
- 72. List how city tourism cards help you save your money and time. (At least 2)
- 73. The underlined word “it” refers to “_____”.
- 74. According to the writer, if we go traveling, we had better _____. (多项选择)
 - A. take with city tourism cards
 - B. book a hotel outside a city with a kitchen in the room
 - C. get the best room
- 75. Give the passage a proper title.

六、书面表达 (共 1 题，计 20 分)

发明改变了我们的生活，带给我们方便、快捷等。请根据表格内容提示及要求，以 “Some great inventions in the world” 为题目，介绍人类发展史上的重要发明。

Invention	When	Inventors	Your views about the inventions
Ballpen (圆珠笔)	1936	Ladislav Biro	easy to carry; cheap and light; popular to people, especially students; help people write fast and make our life easier
Telephone	1876	Alexander Graham Bell	make conversations easier and rapider; keep in touch with anyone at any time and in any place
Computer	1946	John von Neumann	...

要求：

- 1. 介绍发明的名称、其被发明的时间、发明者、你对该发明的观点等；
- 2. 语言通顺，要点齐全，意思连贯，条理清楚，书写规范；
- 3. 将你对第三种发明的观点补充完整（至少一条）；
- 4. 文中不得出现真实的姓名和学校名称；
- 5. 词数：90 词左右（开头已给出，不计入总词数）；
- 6. 语言要文明，否则本学科试卷全部作废。

Some great inventions in the world

There have been many great inventions that changed the way we live. They make our life easy and colorful. Today, I'd like to talk about some of them.

The first one I want to talk about is